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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of:

PERSSON et al.

Serial No.: 08/844,215

Group Art Unit: 1815

Filing Date: April 17, 1997

Examiner: M. Zeman

Title: HUMAN MONOCLONAL ANTIBODIES SPECIFIC FOR  
HEPATITIS C VIRUS (HCV) E2 ANTIGEN

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is a Response to Requirement for Restriction mailed November 25, 1997. A Petition for Extension of Time and check for \$ 110 is enclosed.

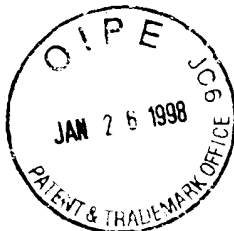
The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 which may be required by this paper, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 18-1648. **A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.**

Respectfully submitted,

Date: 1/20/98

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

The following extension of time is requested in order to respond to the Office Action mailed November 25, 1997.

X One month to January 25, 1998. The extension fee is  
\_\_\_ \$55 X \$110

\_\_\_ Two months to \_\_\_\_\_. The extension fee is  
\_\_\_ \$200 \_\_\_ \$400

\_\_\_ Three months to \_\_\_\_\_. The extension fee is  
\_\_\_ \$475 \_\_\_ \$950

\_\_\_ Four months to \_\_\_\_\_. The extension fee is  
\_\_\_ \$755 \_\_\_ \$1,510

\_\_\_ Five months to \_\_\_\_\_. The extension fee is  
\_\_\_ \$1,030 \_\_\_ \$2,060

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\_\_\_ A (one) (two) month Petition for Extension of Time was  
previously filed with the appropriate fee on \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_ The shortened statutory period has been reset by an Advisory  
Action dated \_\_\_\_\_.

X A check to cover the \$ 110 extension fee is attached.

\_\_\_ Charge \$ to Deposit Account No. 18-1648.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37  
C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by this paper, or to credit  
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